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Title: **STERILIZING APPARATUS FOR OTHODONTIC BANDS**

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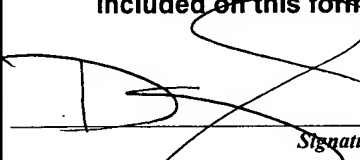
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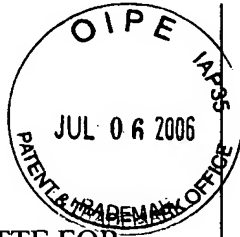
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Applicant: Michaelson et. al

Application No.: 10/050,400

Filed: January 15, 2002

Title: STERILIZING CASSETTE FOR
ORTHODONTIC BANDS



Group/Art Unit: 1744

Examiner: Chorbaji, Monzer

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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S ACTION

Dated: March 31, 2006

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Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed March 31, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks of record:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response to Office Action.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this Response to Office Action.